

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Matthew J. Scanlan et al.
Serial No.: 10/529,655
Confirmation No.: 5836
Filed: November 28, 2006
For: HUMAN SARCOMA-ASSOCIATED ANTIGENS
Examiner: S. E. Aeder
Art Unit: 1642

Certificate of Electronic Filing Under 37 CFR 1.8

I hereby certify that this paper (along with any paper referred to as being attached or enclosed) is being transmitted via the Office electronic filing system in accordance with § 1.6(a)(4).

Dated: March 19, 2008

/Nicole Millette Hawes/
Nicole Millette Hawes

SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to substantive examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page **2** of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page **4** of this paper.